Number of outstanding claims pending in Para-Military Forces

2532. SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of personnel of the Para-Millitary Forces who lost their lives during 2007, force-wise;

(b) whether the families of such personnel have any outstanding claims pending as on 01.04.08, force-wise; and

(c) the reasons for the delay in disposing of such claims and by when they are likely to be cleared, force-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b)

Force	No. of deaths in 2007	Claims Pending As on 1.4.2008
AR	124	18
BSF	370	20
CISF	204	02
CRPF	375	68
ITBP	71	08
NSG	01	01
SSB	93	__

(c) The claims are cleared on receiving all necessary documents. Sometimes there is delay in production of succession certificate from the Courts.

Violation of human rights in prisons

2533. SHRI AMIR ALAM KHAN: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of cases registered with the National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) against the police atrocities and violation of Human Rights in the prison during each of the last three year, State-wise;

(b) the remedial measures adopted by the Government to curtail such atrocities; and

(c) the action taken against the accused persons?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD): (a) Statement showing State-wise and year-wise cases registered against the police